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From: Murchie, Peter

**Sent:** Tue 3/29/2016 2:50:27 PM

Subject: RE: Cong. McMorris Rodgers - DRAFT RESPONSE PLS REVIEW

Thank you Lisa

Peter

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**Sent:** Monday, March 28, 2016 7:44 PM

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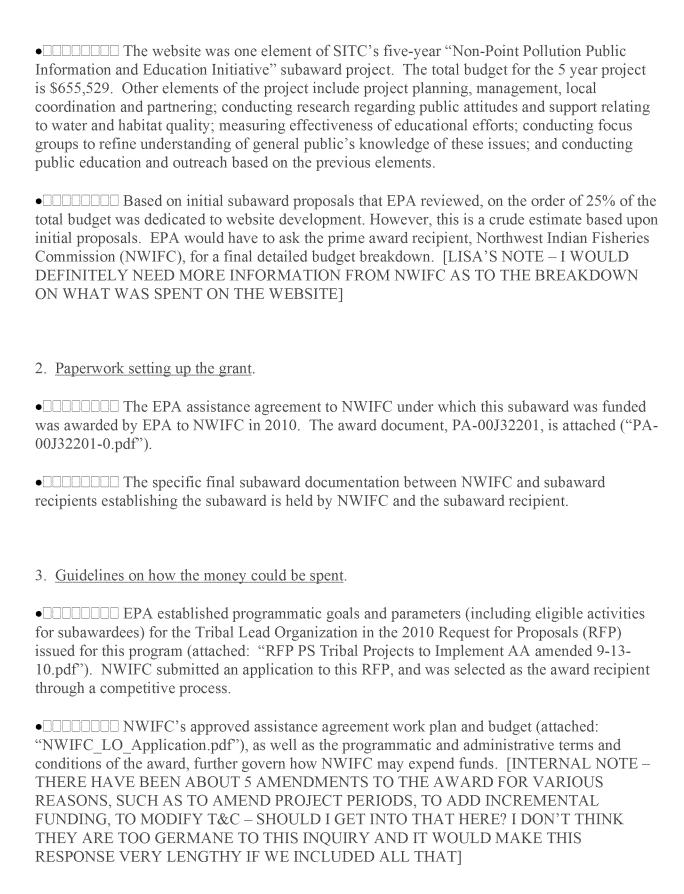
## DRAFT DELIBERATIVE

All – here is basic information relevant to Congresswoman McMorris Rodgers' questions below regarding the subaward to the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community made under our Tribal LO award to NWIFC. I organized the response according to the topics in her questions.

Please let me know what additional information would be helpful in response to this inquiry.

## **RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS**

- 1. Funding that went to set up the website.
- •□□□□□□□□ The website was established by the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community (SITC) under a subaward for this project made under an EPA assistance agreement to the Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission (NWIFC).



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Proposals it issues each year (example attached: "FY11 RFP Tribal Projects FINAL.doc")
•□□□□□□□ For all final subawards, the final subaward work plan and budget, in addition to
subaward terms and conditions (including pass-through terms and conditions in the parent
award), govern how each subawardee may expend funds.

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Subject: Inquiry from office of Cong. McMorris Rodgers

Peter and Lisa,

Cong. McMorris Rodgers' D.C. office is asking for an "expedited" response for information about the "whatsupstream" website. They are interested in \$ that went to setting up the website, paperwork setting up the grant, and guidelines on how the money could be spent. Please let me know if there is written information that we can share, or if it would be better to offer a call.

Cindy, 3-1815